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VOTE for the Republican county ticket and Higher Salaries!

TRUSTS are raising the price of everything the people have to buy. How much are your products and labor increasing in value?

WHAT farmer or workman in Summit county can make \$8,000 in a single year? This is what some of the officers at the court house pay their incumbents. If you believe in a continuation of these high salaries, vote for the candidates nominated by the local Republican Machine.

REPRESENTATIVE KEMPEL is pledged by his party's platform to introduce a bill in the next Legislature doing away with the fee system under which Summit county's office-holders receive from \$6,000 to \$8,000 a year. No other candidate before the people is so pledged. Vote for Mr. Kempel.

FOR A "wooden man," which the Dobson paper calls Representative Kempel, the latter made an excellent record in the Legislature. At least the people of Summit county, especially workmen, seem to be very well satisfied with Mr. Kempel's record and they are going to give him another term.

TO DATE the only thing the Dobson paper has been able to say against the candidates upon the Democratic county ticket is that they are "non-entities," "do-nothings," "wooden men" and "weaklings." It is an easy matter to call candidates for public office harsh names; it is another matter to convince the people that they are deserving of such treatment.

REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES W. KEMPEL was referred to as a "wooden man" by the Beacon last night. If there had been a few more wooden men like Mr. Kempel in the last Legislature the Republican office-holders of Summit county would not have succeeded in defeating the Russell Salary bill when they sent men and money to Columbus to work against it.

CHAIRMAN STUART will be conferring a favor upon the people by pointing out to them what great public enterprise Judge Anderson has ever headed. Who knew with certainty where he stood while Akron's citizens were trying to force the Telephone Monopoly to recognize their rights? Ask Senator Alexander, who was the head of the Citizens' Committee of Fifty, whether very much dependence was placed in the Judge's professions to stand by the people.

WHEN Judge Anderson wants an office he relies upon his own political machine to pull him through. When the other fellows are up for election they have to use a crowd to move the Judge along. Some of the other fellows now holding office at the court house have caught on to this quaint characteristic of the Judge. The grim satisfaction with which they are wet blanketing his canvass carries a moral to all office-seekers who are always for themselves and for nobody else.

JUDGE ANDERSON and Clerk Hershey are holding a series of secret conferences throughout all the townships of the county. At these meetings the political leaders who are a part of the private political machines of these candidates are called in. How many of the farmers who have to pay exorbitant fees and salaries to these officials are invited into the conferences and given a chance to get back some of their own money by working for the re-election of Messrs. Anderson and Hershey? Don't all speak at once.

WITHIN the last thirty-five years the fees of county officers have been reduced several times by acts of the Legislature, but an inspection of the records of the court house will show that in some cases fees collected to-day are higher than they were forty years ago. The Russell salary bill, which was defeated by the efforts of the Summit county office holders, placed the officials on salaries and did away with the obnoxious fee system. Taxpayers who want to save themselves \$30,000 a year in the amount of compensation paid their county officers, should vote the Democratic ticket.

The Democratic party believes in increasing the money supply and

A RECKONING IS AT HAND.

Never has the local Democratic party had the moral and active support of so many of Summit county's prominent Republican voters as in this fall's campaign.

In their many years of practically uninterrupted power the Republican office holders of the county have built up a powerful Machine, which not only controls the affairs of their own party with an iron hand but presumes to dictate what shall be done in every department of the local public service, whether city or county.

This Machine's power has been made still more absolute by the financial backing of the corporate interests, which, in exchange for liberal contributions to the campaign fund, expect to be repaid with privileges at the expense of the people. The large contribution of the Telephone monopoly to the Machine's campaign fund last fall and last spring, is a case in evidence. Does not this explain why many local Republican officials—with a few honorable exceptions—and the politicians who enjoy favors at their hands, have acted as an organized lobbying commission to get franchise or similar grants through the Council or to control acts of the Legislature when the welfare of the corporate interests demanded it?

And that they have not been backward about lobbying for themselves when their own interests demanded it, is clearly shown by their defeat of the Russell salary bill.

Every Republican who has paid any attention to his party's local affairs knows that these are facts.

The Democratic party, at its County Convention last August, recognized the deplorable condition of affairs when it adopted the following plank as a part of its platform:

10. We favor the enactment of laws reducing the compensation of county officers, and promise to use our efforts to that end and in good faith.

We denounce the system of Government by Probate Judge, now practiced in this county, under the auspices of the Republican party, and we will elect a man who will abolish the same and confine himself to the duties of his office, without dictating, or interfering with the duties of others.

The platform of the Republican County convention, controlled as it was by the Machine, was abjectly silent upon these issues. This was not surprising in view of the fact that a platform that had been adopted by the previous year's convention, pledging Republican candidates to work for lower salaries, had been shamefully violated after the election.

All this shows why hundreds of Republican voters of Summit county are going to support the Democratic county ticket this fall to defeat the political trust that has taken control of their party's local affairs.

The high-handed practices of the Machine in defeating and humiliating worthy Republicans who would not do the Machine's bidding while in office; the outrageous opposition to a measure that would have saved the people of Summit county \$30,000 a year in the exorbitant salaries paid their county officials; the offensive favoritism to the privileged interests that contribute to the party's campaign fund, combined with the consequent neglect of the people's welfare; the unwarranted interference by county officials in the affairs of the city; the attempt to fill the public service with political favorites at excessively high salaries, to the exclusion of men equally competent and willing to work for reasonable compensation—all these abuses, of which the Machine has long stood convicted before the people, can only be condoned by the defeat of the Machine's ticket a few days hence.

If Democrats will but remain true to their own ticket, the enormous campaign fund which the Republican candidates have at their disposal—every dollar of which represents just so much money unworthily taken from the people—will amount to nothing more than so much chaff.

thus gradually restoring the values that have been taken from all forms of property owned by the people through thirty years of the Single Gold Standard. The Republican party's policy is to make "money scarce and therefore dear," and all forms of property cheap. But to prevent the trusts from being squeezed by this same system which takes away the value of the people's property, the party of Mr. Hanna favors the trusts by legislation which enables them to arbitrarily fix their own prices for their products. Voters may take their choice between the two systems.

COUNTY AUDITOR SISLER told the DEMOCRAT at the Buchtel Saturday night that he was glad "the other fellows" were running for office in Summit county this fall. He said that the opposition to him last fall because of the Russell Salary bill's defeat cost him more than three hundred votes, chiefly among the farmers of the county. If, as Auditor Sisler says, the salary bill agitation cost him more than three hundred votes last fall, it will cost "the other fellows" more than a thousand this fall. The people are just beginning to find out that they have to pay the enormous funds which some of their county officers are able to spend during campaigns. They are going to vote to put men in office who are not a part of the Machine which defeated the Russell Salary bill.

THE local Republican campaign is being conducted after the most approved "gum shoe" fashion. A few of the faithful are called in to secret conferences and the contents of the overflowing barrel belonging to the high-salaried county officers are distributed to them. This is a sample of the prosperity that under the political trust system leads down occasionally from the "classes to the masses." The people of Summit county have had to pay every cent of the enormous campaign fund that is being spent by the Republican county officials, and if they get a chance to get some of it back by being given the job of helping re-elect the officials they ought to be content. This is the favorite policy of the local Republican Machine. It is a good thing. Vote for the Republican ticket and higher salaries.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. J. C. HENNEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists. See Hall's Family Pills are the best.

NEGLECT

Of the Legislature

Largely Responsible For Clay Mine Horror.

Rigid Laws Should Have Been Enacted

Providing For the Inspection of Banks.

Transcript of His Verdict Filed Thursday.

Coroner Leberman holds the state responsible for the numerous fatal accidents in clay banks.

He says that the failure of the Legislature to enact laws for the inspection of clay banks similar to those for coal miners, constitutes gross neglect on its part.

His verdict in the East Akron clay bank horror was filed Thursday. Three employees of the Buckeye Sewer Pipe company, Daniel Callahan, John Jaskey and Andy Polasky, were killed. The transcript of findings is as follows:

"I do find that the deceased (Daniel Callahan) came to his death by reason of injuries sustained in a falling clay bank on the premises of the Buckeye Sewer Pipe Co., on July 22, 1899. I further find that the aforesaid clay bank, while being worked in accordance with the custom prevalent among the owners of clay banks in this vicinity and perhaps clay banks in general, was in a highly dangerous condition at the time of the accident, and was not, in my estimation, a safe place in which a miner might work; nor was the manner of removing the clay of such a nature as to add the greatest security to the life and limb of the employees therein.

"Furthermore I have been unable to find any provisions in the laws of Ohio for the inspection by the State or District Mine Inspector of clay banks, such as the one in which the unfortunate Callahan and his fellow workmen met their untimely end. The absence of such provisions (which are so fully and vigorously enforced in the case of coal mines) makes it possible for every owner of a clay bank to mine his clay in such a manner as to insure him the greatest ease and largest profits in taking out his clay and places no restriction on the manner in which the clay should be removed, so as to best protect the miners employed.

"Considering the immensity of the clay industry in this state, the multitude of men employed in mining that mineral, the hazardous nature of the occupation and the large number of lives which have during the past few years been lost in following it, I consider it gross neglect upon the part of our legislative bodies in failing to provide suitable regulations for the mining of clay in connection with the laws governing the conduct of other mining of a scarcely more dangerous character.

"E. O. LEBERMAN, Coroner."

TRUST PRICES

Have Had Serious Effect On Building Boom.

Number New Houses in Barberton Falls Away Below Anticipation.

Barberton is booming considerably these days in the way of new buildings, no less than 25 being in course of construction at present.

This number falls far below that anticipated last spring, and has been caused principally by the great increase in the price of building material. O. C. Barber in speaking with a reporter for the DEMOCRAT several months ago intimated that Barberton's growth would be so rapid as to indicate that its size would soon be equal to that of Akron. But it will be many years, at the rate of 20 or 30 houses each season until this is done. Under the condition of trusts, with building material advanced to an average of 40 per cent., only such

houses as are an absolute necessity will be erected.

The industries of Barberton are booming, yet the price of rent for houses is advanced to an enormous figure. On Third st. the owner of a five-room house asked a prospective renter \$30 a month. Not desiring to build, under present conditions nor pay the rent asked, many new-comers move to Akron and rent houses, and go back and forward on the street cars, saving considerable, even after the price of car fare is deducted.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup cures the most stubborn coughs, colds and lung affections. Even incipient consumption has been successfully cured by this marvelous remedy. Sufferers will obtain relief after a few doses. 16

STOLEN BICYCLE

Returned to Fred J. Wettach—Police Court Cases.

In Police court Thursday morning Otto Phillips, a young boy, was convicted of stealing a bicycle from Fred J. Wettach, and sentenced to way a fine of \$1 and costs, the boy's mother promising to pay Mr. Wettach the \$5 he paid as a reward for the return of the wheel. A boy saw Otto riding the bicycle along the street, and recognizing it as Mr. Wettach's property, took it from the rider and returned it, receiving the \$5 offered as a reward.

Barney Lustig, accused of stealing a dog from Alexander Bloom, was sentenced to \$5 and costs.

John Brennan, the young boy accused of stealing an umbrella from Louisa F. Pfeiffer, was sentenced to \$5 and costs.

Anthony Bauer, charged with disorderly conduct, was sentenced to pay costs, amounting to \$18.15.

Virgil J. Crockett and Thos. Huns were each given \$2 and costs for intoxication.

Thursday afternoon Officer Miller placed Ora Chaffer in the city prison on a charge of intoxication.

TO CURE LA GRIFFE IN TWO DAYS

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EXTENSIVE

Addition to Stirling Boiler Company's Plant.

Will Manufacture All Iron and Steel For Its Products.

Plans for an extensive addition to the immense plant of the Stirling Boiler company are under consideration.

For many months this company has felt the necessity of providing better facilities for obtaining the steel and iron used in the manufacture of boilers.

Difficulty has been experienced in having orders for material filled promptly because of the great demand being made on all the steel mills at the present time. It is to remove this trouble that the addition is to be built. A large steel and iron mill will be erected near the company's plant. It will furnish all the Stirling company's product. As soon as plans are decided on work will commence on the addition.

COMES QUICKLY.

Don't Have to Wait For Weeks. An Akron Illustration.

Waiting is discouraging. Prompt action pleases everybody. A burden on the back is a heavy weight. Hard to bear day after day. Harder still year after year. Lifting weight, removing the burden. Brings appreciating responses. Akron people tell of it. Tell how it can be done. Tell of relief that's quick and sure. Here is a case of it: Mrs. L. J. Pisel, of 133 Bowery st., says: "I know that Doan's Kidney Pills are most effective and thoroughly reliable. I know this from personal experience and from what they did for my father and my sister. My father obtained them from Lamport & Co.'s drug store on South Howard street, and we have used several boxes. I had acute lameness in my back, commonly called crick, which caught me when stooping or rising from a chair and I was embarrassed with inactive kidneys. I found Doan's Kidney Pills prompt in relieving me of both. I know of no medicine which ever did my sister so much good as Doan's Kidney Pills. They are a really splendid and effective preparation for the kidneys."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-McMillan Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no other.

LLOYD.

Simms' Next Victim.

Will Meet at Massillon Athletic Club.

Nipped Jeffords Ambition In the Bud.

Ruhlin's Victory From a New York Standpoint.

Oberlin and Akron Elevens to Play—Sporting News.

Art Simms' victory over Johnny Dennison at Cleveland Monday night has given him a great boost in the pugilistic world.

He is receiving challenges from fightweights all over the state. Simms will not rest any length of time. He has already made another match. His next battle will be with Harry (Kid) Lloyd. The men will meet under the auspices of the West Side Athletic club of Massillon in three weeks.

Lloyd met London Campbell some time ago and was knocked out in less than a round. Simms' friends believe Lloyd will prove an easy mark for the Akron fighter, who will undoubtedly be a prime favorite in the betting.

Nipped His Ambition.

The New York Journal gives the following account of the Ruhlin-Jeffords fight:

"Jim Jeffords, a tall youth from California, who has the enviable distinction of obtaining a decision over Champion Jim Jeffries, did his best to add to his list reputation at the Broadway A. C. last night when he met Gus Ruhlin in a 20-round argument.

"Ruhlin nipped his ambition in the bud in short order. He put the Californian out in the fifth round with a pair of choice right-hand jabs on the orthodox spot.

"It was warm work while it lasted. Jeffords did most of the fighting in the first three rounds, and it looked as though a new pugilistic star had arisen.

"Ruhlin stood the gaff—it wasn't very sharp—like a red bockle, and when the gong announced the beginning of the fourth round the Akron giant sailed in to finish his man in jig time.

"He knew that he hadn't been living up to expectations, and opened the ball with a hard right on Jeffords' jaw that immediately had the Californian guessing.

"Ruhlin didn't give him time for another guess, but put the right on the spot again, and Jeffords sat down with a suddenness that jarred the nerves in his chin.

"Referee John White began to count the eventful seconds, but before he reached the ultimate ten Jeffords scrambled to his pins in time to be sent down again by Ruhlin's ever ready right.

"Jeffords wobbled a bit on the floor and it looked as though it was all over.

"The Californian managed to get up again, however, and made a feeble rush at Ruhlin. The Akron man met him coming in with a left flush in the face, and then sent the right across on his jaw.

"Jeffords was flattened out again, and he didn't look like a riser when the gong saved him.

"In the final fifth Ruhlin knew his business, and after a stiff uppercut had set Jeffords thinking of other things, Ruhlin sent his right over and the man who got a decision over Jeffries forgot all about it.

"White counted him out, and Ruhlin was declared the winner.

Akron Chess Club.

Though but three weeks have passed since a number of chess enthusiasts congregated for the purpose of starting a chess club in this city much has already been achieved. The Akron Chess club is now completely organized and in full operation. Akron can now boast of a flourishing chess club, that will doubtless command an honorable position among the prominent kindred organizations of the country. The promoters themselves were most

Sight Restored

TAKEN FROM MANSFIELD NEWS.

"Dr. Tucker was down from Akron and operated upon Mrs. Ferguson, mother of Policeman Ferguson, who has been blind for some time. The operation was very successful. Mrs. Ferguson was able to count fingers three feet distant."

Very truly,

DR. G. W. TUCKER, AKRON, O.

Dear Doctor—I write congratulating you upon the success attained in the operation upon my wife's eye, as is well known, she was blind. We cannot express the joy that greeted us upon the completion of the operation. Mrs. Ferguson was able to count fingers three feet away.

WM. FERGUSON AND WIFE.

Dr. G. W. Tucker

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Thursday evening, Oct. 26

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Entire change of program each evening.

Prices 10c, 20c, 30c.

Notice of Appointment.

Estate of Francis McGuire, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed by the probate court of Summit county, Ohio, as administrator of the estate of Francis McGuire, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment; and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same for allowance or rejection.

FRANCIS MCGUIRE.

Dated this 25th day of Oct., A. D. 1899.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

LOST.

LOST—A gentleman's watch, Swiss movement, silver case, lost on Washington st. Suitable reward for return to Fred Zeidler at May & Fleisher's. 102-104

WANTED—A girl or woman, Call at office of the New York Ladies' Tailors, Central Office Building. 102-104

Knew What He Wanted. The Amiable Plutocrat—But riches do not bring happiness. The Unamiable Pauper—But I ain't lookin fer happiness. All I want is comfort.—Indianapolis Journal.

LOCAL MARKETS.

WHEAT 69 CENTS.

Retail Prices.

Oct. 26, 8 p. m.—Butter, creamery 30c; country 25c; 1 lb. eggs 25c; 22c; chickens, 15c per lb. dressed, spring chicken 15c a lb. Corn, ear 25c per bushel, shelled 50c; oats 30c; hay 65 to 70c a hundred; straw 55c a hundred. Lettuce 12c to 15c per pound. Head lettuce 15c. Radishes, two bunches for 5c. Celery 10c a bunch. Tomatoes, home grown 20c a 2 qt. measure. Potatoes, 65c a bu. Home grown cabbage, 5 to 12c head

Wholesale Prices.

Wheat 69c; oats 35c; corn, ear, 20c; corn, shelled, 57c; hay, 100 to 110; 110 to 115; 115 to 120; 120 to 125; 125 to 130; 130 to 135; 135 to 140; 140 to 145; 145 to 150; 150 to 155; 155 to 160; 160 to 165; 165 to 170; 170 to 175; 175 to 180; 180 to 185; 185 to 190; 190 to 195; 195 to 200; 200 to 205; 205 to 210; 210 to 215; 215 to 220; 220 to 225; 225 to 230; 230 to 235; 235 to 240; 240 to 245; 245 to 250; 250 to 255; 255 to 260; 260 to 265; 265 to 270; 270 to 275; 275 to 280; 280 to 285; 285 to 290; 290 to 295; 295 to 300; 300 to 305; 305 to 310; 310 to 315; 315 to 320; 320 to 325; 325 to 330; 330 to 335; 335 to 340; 340 to 345; 345 to 350; 350 to 355; 355 to 360; 360 to 365; 365 to 370; 370 to 375; 375 to 380; 380 to 385; 385 to 390; 390 to 395; 395 to 400; 400 to 405; 405 to 410; 410 to 415; 415 to 420; 420 to 425; 425 to 430; 430 to 435; 435 to 440; 440 to 445; 445 to 450; 450 to 455; 455 to 460; 460 to 465; 465 to 470; 470 to 475; 475 to 480; 480 to 485; 485 to 490; 490 to 495; 495 to 500; 500 to 505; 505 to 510; 510 to 515; 515 to 520; 520 to 525; 525 to 530; 530 to 535; 535 to 540; 540 to 545; 545 to 550; 550 to 555; 555 to 560; 560 to 565; 565 to 570; 570 to 575; 575 to 580; 580 to 585; 585 to 590; 590 to 595; 595 to 600; 600 to 605; 605 to 610; 610 to 615; 615 to 620; 620 to 625; 625 to 630; 630 to 635; 635 to 640; 640 to 645; 645 to 650; 650 to 655; 655 to 660; 660 to 665; 665 to 670; 670 to 675; 675 to 680; 680 to 685; 685 to 690; 690 to 695; 695 to 700; 700 to 705;